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NEW QUARTERS

WHO? WHERE?

Warren & Durfee

Abstracts of Title
INSURANCE,
REAL ESTATE

Conveyancing Office.

Now on the corner E.
Main and Water Sts.—
Room recently occu-
pied by W. J. Brown,
Druggist.

October 21, 1874-d.



HAIR
RENEWER

This standard article is com-
pounded with the greatest care.
Its effects are as wonderful and
satisfactory as ever.

It restores gray or faded hair to
its youthful color.

It removes all eruptions, itching
and dandruff. It gives the head a
cooling, soothing sensation of great
comfort, and the scalp by its use
becomes white and clean.

By its tonic properties it restores
the capillary glands to their normal
vigor, preventing baldness, and mak-
ing the hair grow thick and strong.

As a dressing, nothing has been
found so effective or desirable.

A. A. Hayes, M. D., State As-
sessor of Massachusetts, says, "The
constituents are pure, and carefully
selected for excellent quality; and I
consider it the best Preparation for
its intended purposes."

Price, One Dollar.

Buckingham's Dye

FOR THE WHISKERS.

This elegant preparation may be
relied on to change the color of the
beard from gray or any other un-
desirable shade, to brown or black,
at discretion. It is easily applied,
being in one preparation, and quick-
ly and effectually produces a per-
manent color, which will neither
rub nor wash off.

Manufactured by R. P. HALL & CO.,

NASHUA, N. H.

Sold by all Druggists, and Dealers in Medicines.

Hubbard & Swearingen, Ag'ts

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.

"A Complete Pictorial History of the
Times."—The best, cheapest, and
most successful Family Pa-
per in the Union.

Harper's Weekly.

Illustrated.

Notices of the Press:

"The Weekly in the latest and most power-
ful illustrated periodical published in this
country. It is a most valuable and
entertaining, and carries much weight. Its il-
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I. & I. C. RAILWAY.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, AUG. 12, '74,
Trains will depart from and arrive at
Decatur, daily, except Sunday, as follows:

GOING EAST.

Passenger 1:50 p.m.
Freight and Accommodation 5:15 a.m.

ARRIVE AT DECATUR.

Passenger 11:30 a.m.
Freight and Accommodation 5:15 p.m.

C. V. LEWIS,
Gen'l Freight and Ticket Agent,
Decatur, Ill.

E. E. LARY,
Agent, Decatur.

Illinois Central R. R.

Trains Leave Decatur.

GOING NORTH.

Passenger 8:30 a.m.
Freight 12:00 p.m.

GOING SOUTH.

Passenger 8:30 a.m.
Freight 12:00 p.m.

ALL TRAINS CARRY PASSENGERS.

A. M. MITCHELL, Gen'l Supt., Chicago.

W. F. JOHNSON, Gen'l Freight Agt., Chicago.

J. P. TUCKER, Gen'l Ticket Agt., Chicago.

C. C. JUDSON, Agent, Decatur.

THE GREAT EAST & WEST
FAST LINE!

The public are respectfully reminded
that the Toledo, Wabash & West-
ern Railway is the only line run-
ning East Trains through to New
York, Boston and other Eastern
Cities, and St. Louis, Quincy and
other Western Cities enabling trav-
elers to reach their destination from
six to seven hours in advance of
all other lines.

Close Connection is also made
at Decatur Junction for Indian-
apolis, Cincinnati and Louisville.

Pullman Sleeping Cars are run
between St. Louis and Cleveland,
and Quincy and Toledo, without
change.

Trains depart from Decatur, as follows:

MAIN LINE:

No. 1 Through Express 2:15 a.m.

No. 2 Through Express 1:30 p.m.

No. 3 Through Express 7:30 a.m.

GOING EAST:

No. 4 Through Express 11:30 p.m.

No. 5 Through Express 10:30 a.m.

GOING WEST:

No. 6 Through Express 8:30 a.m.

No. 7 Through Express 7:30 p.m.

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:

No. 8 Through Express 2:30 a.m.

No. 9 Through Express 1:30 p.m.

No. 10 Through Express 7:30 a.m.

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:

No. 11 Through Express 11:30 p.m.

No. 12 Through Express 10:30 a.m.

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No. 13 Through Express 8:30 a.m.

No. 14 Through Express 7:30 p.m.

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:

No. 15 Through Express 2:30 a.m.

No. 16 Through Express 1:30 p.m.

ST. LOUIS DIVISION:

No. 17 Through Express 7:30 a.m.

No. 18 Through Express 6:30 p.m.

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No. 22 Through Express 6:30 p.m.

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The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.
Saturday Evening, April 24.

THE DAILY REPUBLICAN will be delivered to subscribers in any part of the city, at Twenty Cents per Week.
Local Notices will be inserted at Ten Cents per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the place where the paper is delivered, unless otherwise ordered.
We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their papers to be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

Regular winter weather.
Where is the street sprinkler?
Cabbage and Green Peas, now and fresh, at Imboden & Co's.
Travel on the railroads is on the increase.

Weddings are plenty, with lots more to come.
Baird, the great showman, is not coming until June. So say the bills and posters.

The weather caught cold again last night, and puffed and blowed and wheezed like a heavy horse.
The vacant lot, just south of the court house block, is being enclosed by a high board fence.

A full line of Dress Goods, just received at S. Bostick's.
At the election in Farmer City yesterday the license ticket carried by a large majority.

The new ordinance in regard to huckstering will play out the candy and peanut stands, of which we have so many.

The frogs sang merrily in the early part of last night, but when the wind came up fresh from the north they adjourned to a more convenient season.

The almost constant prevalence of high winds interferes seriously with the building operations among the lands.

For the best sugar cured hams, go to Neldorff's.
Fresh lettuce, green peas, and other garden truck are getting to be tolerably plenty in the market.

McCrays serves full meals, at lunch at all hours.
Bitter is scarce and miserably poor. You can look at a pound for a quarter, and point your finger at it for fifty-five cents.

Order the St. Nicholas bus when you want to go to the depot.
After to-day there can be no auction sales on the streets. Auctioneers will be obliged to procure a lot in which to make their sales of stock and other things that have to be sold out of doors.

The old "Rough and Ready" hose ball club has been reorganized, and will soon contest with the "Humways" for the championship of this city.

All the choice brands of teas, at Swell & Hammer's.
A Milton Lapham and Isaac S. Kaufman, two well known, energetic young men of this city, have opened a real estate and insurance office over the post office.

A few days ago Mr. Joshua Green, of Whitmore township, fell from a load of fodder, on which he was riding, bruising his face somewhat, and other very injurious lumps.

A fine lot of fancy groceries and confections, at Lewis & Milligan's.
Farmers seem to have some difficulty in obtaining hands to work their land. With the number of fellows that are idle in town the demand for laborers should be fully met.

Try those choice pickled white fish, at D. M. Barnett & Co's.
The ladies of the First M. E. church are making preparations for a Fair and Festival, to be held some time during the month of May, more extended notice of which will be given when arrangements are completed.

If you want Shade Trees and Evergreens, fresh dug, order of
H. W. Davis,
Decatur, Ill.

Next spring the enterprising firm of Howarth & Sons, manufacturers of the duck rowing machine, intend to enlarge their factory considerably. The building will be made three stories high, and will extend from Cerro Gordo street to the T. W. & W. Railway, fronting on Broadway.

The front window in Wessels' building, on North Water street, now occupied by Elliott & Anderson as a clothing store, is a solid pane of French glass, two by eleven feet, and cost about \$125. It is decidedly the handsomest store window in the city.

At the called meeting of the Hook and Ladder Company, held at their headquarters last night, a resolution was passed to give a ball on the evening of the next parade day—May 26th. A committee was appointed to make all the necessary arrangements for the ball, and report at the next meeting.

People who propose to visit St. Louis with the excursion on the 30th inst., should bear in mind that the train is to pass Decatur at 11 o'clock, sharp, in the forenoon. No stops are made except for water, between here and St. Louis. Everybody is invited, and we doubt not that many of our citizens will improve this opportunity to spend twenty-four hours in the "future great city."

The fare for the round trip is only \$2.70.
Pike, the Jeweler, is agent for the sale of the best brands of American watches

RECEPTION SURPRISE.

A pleasant surprise was given last night at the residence of T. B. Albert, Esq., to Mrs. Rosa Oberdorfer, his daughter, now of Milwaukee, Wis., who is here on a visit to her relatives and friends. The parties who had the management of the affair, in charge, made all the arrangements with the utmost secrecy, and so skillfully did they make all the preparations, which were made at the house, that up to the time the guests arrived Mrs. O. had no idea of what had been planned. By previous arrangement, about thirty couples met at the Concordia hall, from which, at about nine o'clock, they proceeded in a body to Mr. Albert's residence, on the corner of South Main and Washington streets. To all of the family (with the exception of Mrs. Albert) their coming was a complete surprise.

Mrs. A. did all she could to entertain the guests, and made them all at home. All enjoyed a social chat in the parlor for about an hour, during which time Mrs. Albert, assisted by Mrs. A. Good, and several others, emptied the baskets which the guests had brought, and spread the tables in an adjoining room for supper. All present were then invited to partake of the sumptuous repast. Three large tables loaded with all the delicacies of the season looked very inviting to the guests, who at once seated themselves and ate of the food with a relish. After supper was over the guests remained a couple of hours, enjoying themselves by playing all sorts of games and chatting socially. At about midnight the party broke up and the couples left, saying among themselves that the affair was a highly enjoyable one.

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Almost an Alarm of Fire.—On yesterday evening, about 6 o'clock, the chimney in the residence of Mr. Ehrhart, on South Main street, took fire and sent up a loud blaze several feet above its top. Mr. and Mrs. E. were both away from home, and nobody was in the house but two little girls. The neighbors were pretty thoroughly alarmed for a short time, but the flames soon spent their force, without doing any harm.

If you want a genuine Alexander Kid Glove, call at S. Einsinger's 19-1st.

Frank E. Aiken.—The popular young actor, Mr. Frank E. Aiken, will appear at the opera house, on Thursday evening, April 20th, in an entirely new play from the pen of the well known dramatist, Bartley Campbell, entitled "The Virginian," which has just completed a successful run of twenty eight consecutive performances at Hooley's theatre, Chicago, where it evoked the heartiest plaudits of both press and public. It is a charming story, fresh as the air of the Alleghenies, in the midst of which the scene is laid, and pure and wholesome as rippling water. With all this, it is tenderly touching and true to nature.

New Firm, New Store, and New Goods.—Messrs. Elliott & Anderson are now in their new store, next door north of J. H. Lewis & Co's. Their new store, and have to date opened one of the most complete and select stocks of clothing, hats and caps, and gentlemen's furnishing goods ever seen in Decatur. They will be pleased to see their many friends, and serve them with goods in their line at lowest prices.

Strictly Pure.—It is a fact that while Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder and True Flavoring Extracts, Lemon, Vanilla, etc., have been made for many years without reducing their standard of perfect purity, not another Baking Powder or Flavoring Extract in the market is free from adulteration. There are no coloring poisonous oils or acids in Dr. Price's Flavors, nor chalk, alum, or other injurious substances in his Cream Baking Powder. We know the manufacturers take pride in having their articles strictly pure.

L. A. Drake has just been putting in a new stock of Furniture at his old meat stand, in First House Block. Put us can now be set up in house-furnish goods, (all new), and at very low figures. Call in and be convinced.—Spring beds and mattresses still a specialty. 14-dit

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ATTEMPTED BURGLARY.

A Would-Be Thief Foiled and Captured by the Detectives.

Last night at about 12 o'clock, a large-sized man broke into James Milligan's saloon, near the depot, and was on the point of going through the money-drawer, when his attention was attracted by a police officer, who held out a revolver and affirmed:

"YOU ARE MY PRISONER."

The burglar was struck speechless. He stood for a moment as motionless as a statue, and then he gazed along the polished barrel of the officer's weapon, and then he gazed on the "cop's" face, which he saw was determined, and finally decided to come out of the building and acknowledge himself as a prisoner. When he came out he was rather surprised to find that he had more than one man to combat with. When he struck the sidewalk he was surrounded by a quartette of policemen, who closed in on him, and proceeded to march him in the direction of the depot calaboose.

The criminal is a very muscular man, and he heaved and tugged away in a vain endeavor to regain his liberty. He raged and swore—all to no purpose. The officers maintained their hold on him, and

FOILED HIS WILD RAGE BY STEADY SKILL. Slowly but surely they conducted him to the depot calaboose, where they lodged him safely for the night.

His preliminary examination will probably take place before one of our justices this afternoon.

THE UNIVERSAL BATH.

Something Useful and Necessary.

The necessity of frequent bathing of the whole body has of late years been sufficiently demonstrated, both as a sanitary measure and as aid to cleanliness of person. The difficulty has heretofore been in providing the requisite means for convenient bathing. This difficulty has been at last overcome by the invention of "The Universal Bath," which is at once convenient, comfortable and durable. It consists of a wooden frame or hoop, the size of a full grown man, to which is attached a rubber cloth pouch, or tub, the whole weighing but a few pounds. Being portable it can be used in the sick room, or wherever may be most convenient. All that is necessary is to place each end of the frame upon the seat of a common chair, and the tub is ready for use. By means of a cord attached to the frame the rubber sack can be so arranged as to change it into a foot or hip bath, by merely elevating one end of the frame. Owing to its peculiar construction it requires but three or four pailful of water to cover the whole body, and the softness and smoothness of the rubber cloth renders it exceedingly pleasant to the person using it. A trial will convince any one, as it has convinced us, of the practicability of this bath.

Mr. T. M. Olmsted is the agent for the sale of this useful and almost indispensable contrivance in Decatur, and will make a thorough canvass of the city. The price is \$25—a figure ridiculously small when compared with the amount of comfort it will purchase.

I. J. Davis & Co. have a very choice lot of correspondence stationery in nobly styles.

Every Seven Years, physiologists say, the human body is entirely changed and renewed. Every moment of our lives, every part of our bodies is wearing out and being built up anew of fresh matter. This work is accomplished by the blood which goes through every part. But if the blood becomes weak or vitiated, and does not perform its work properly, the system is actually poisoned by the worn out matter clogging the vital organs instead of leaving the body. For dyspepsia, biliousness, kidney, skin and liver troubles, fevers, and all diseases arising from vitiated blood, Dr. WALKER'S CALIFORNIA VINEGAR BITTERS are a sovereign remedy. [23 dwtm]

It is now getting to be well understood that J. P. Marsh makes a perfectly fitting line book; and also, that he has very complete and choice stock of ready-made coats and shoes, of all sizes and sorts. Call and see him.

For Sale.—The undersigned offers for sale the following valuable business property: A brick block, consisting of two good stores, with tenement rooms overhead; also, two frame buildings, well suited to business. The above property is situated on the corner of North Water and Cerro Gordo streets, near the crossing of the T. W. & W. R. R., and is one of the best business points in the city. J. G. SNEA, At the grocery store of Shea & Fletcher, opera block. [15-dit]

We offer Great Bargains in linen suits and outfits, which we open to-day, 19-1st.

Reduction of Passenger Fare.—On and after May 1st, the T. W. & W. Railway Co. will reduce their local passenger rates to 34 cents per mile, and will sell round trip tickets at the usual reduction of 10 per cent. They now have on sale at Decatur time tickets to the principal eastern points, at reduced rates.

Cotton-Top Hawk Mattresses, at Stoy & Bishop's, in old Revere house block.

All Ready.—Immense stock of books and shoes, just received by Powers, Ferriss & Co., for spring trade—all good goods. All ready now to show the latest styles—stock all in—biggest variety we ever had. dit

All Sorts of Fruit Trees at the Davis' Nurseries. [mar23 dwt modsa]

PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION OF THE DEFENDANTS.

Yesterday afternoon, at 5 o'clock, at had been previously arranged, Jerry Shaugnessy and Michael Lyons were taken before Justice Hughes for a preliminary examination on the charge of rape. The prisoners conversed a short time together, and then concluded to employ Theo. Leo, Esq., for their attorney. The case for The People was conducted by Edwin Park, Esq.

THE FIRST WITNESS.
Mrs. Mary Byrne, who testified that the defendants came to her house late Wednesday night and allured her to the stable. As to what took place subsequently she seemed to be very backward to relate, and finally stated that she was very drunk at the time and knew little of what had happened.

Mr. John Tucker and Policeman Kienbeller both gave in circumstantial evidence that was very strong against the defendants.

The testimony of Dr. Mills, however, was positive, and it was upon this that the defendants were convicted.

Each of the defendants swore that they wanted a bottle of whiskey which Mrs. Ryan had, and would not give it to them.

This concluded the evidence in the case, and Mr. Leo arose and spoke for a considerable time about how it was so astounding to him that any man or men should be arrested, jailed and brought up for trial because they had attempted to take a whiskey bottle away from an old drunken woman.

The Justice, however, thought that this story was rather "too thin," and after the conclusion of a speech for the prosecution by Mr. Park, he said that from the testimony in the case it was clear that the defendants were guilty of the charge. He fixed the bail for their appearance at the next circuit court at \$700 each, in default of which they were sent to jail.

Shaugnessy admitted that he is sailing under an alias, and no one in this city shall know what his real name is.

GRAND ENTERTAINMENT!

For the Benefit of the Woman's Temperance League.

The Ladies of the Woman's Temperance League will give an entertainment, to consist of Select Readings, Recitations and Vocal Music, at the Opera House, FRIDAY EVENING, April 30.

PROGRAMME—PART I.

VOCAL MUSIC.
Prayer and Poetess, (Patience).
Miss Alice Shellabarger.
Launching of the Ship, (Longfellow).
Miss Ruth Crissey.

VOCAL MUSIC.
Aunt Tabitha, Miss Dr. Watson.
John Maynard, (Gough).
Miss Alice Shellabarger.

VOCAL MUSIC.
Much Ado About Nothing, (Shakespeare).
Miss Alice Shellabarger.
Tam O'Shanter, (Burns).
Dr. Watson.
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The train, consisting of fifteen coaches, will leave the depot at 6:50, and Water street crossing at 7 A. M., sharp, stopping at Bondy, Blue Mound and Stoughton for the reception of passengers, arriving at St. Louis at 10:30. Returning leave St. Louis at 8 P. M., arrive at Decatur at 12 P. M.

Fare for the round trip, \$3.50.
For further particulars enquire of 16 dawit A. E. KIRBY.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Among the guests registered at the St. Nicholas Hotel yesterday are the following: J. R. Subart, St. Louis; C. R. Sargent, Quincy; James A. Barney, city; C. R. Allenburg, Louisville; Geo. Burns, Macon; R. B. Johnson, Aurora; S. S. Prigel, Warrensburg; James Anderson, Cincinnati; J. B. Morrison, Quincy; W. Sponner, Lincoln; John O. Lacy, do; W. E. Wood, St. Louis; E. B. Frazer, Chicago; J. A. Bryant, St. Louis; A. Blum, city; Thos. J. Lamb, Chicago; W. S. Williams, do; S. D. Wheeler, Macon; Thomas T. Glaube, Chicago; M. R. Raleigh, Baltimore.

For Choice New York Potatoes go to D. H. Hellman's in Ulrich's block 10-dit

Garden Seeds.—Just received, a large stock of Landreth's warranted Garden Seeds; also, a general assortment of Flower Seeds and Gardening tools. Geo. S. DUNN & BROS., 16 East Main street.

A Card.—We wish to say to the public that we keep constantly on hand a full supply and great variety of Trusses, Bandages, Supporters, &c., &c. We have the Jones Radical-Cure Truss, Common Sense Truss, Regular Army Ivory Pad Truss, &c., &c. CHENOWETH, WALSTON & CO. May 8-dit

For Rent.—A good office—being the front room over Armstrong's drug store. Apply to Wood & Montgomery. Apr 19-dit

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is very strongly recommended by the Medical Faculty and is largely prescribed among their female patients. It is worthy of all confidence, as may be seen from the following testimonials.

Dr. G. B. CHAPMAN, Plainfield, Neb., writes "I have under treatment a lady, who, for the past seven years has been afflicted, and after trying several physicians without receiving benefit, is gaining rapidly on your Favorite Prescription."

Dr. R. V. PHIBBS, Buffalo, N. Y., writes "I have not words to express my gratitude to you for your advice and assistance in my case. There is not one who has used your medicines since they have been brought here, but that can say with me they have been greatly benefited. Since I have been so helped by your medicine, and before she had used half the bottles she could go all around the yard, and has now just come home from a visit five miles away."

Mrs. Thos. McFARLAND.
Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is sold by all dealers in medicines generally.

RETAIL MARKET.
Tomatoes, per dozen, 10
Apples, per bushel, 75
Squash, per bushel, 5
Beans, per bushel, 5
Potatoes, per bushel, 5
Radishes, per bushel, 5
Onions, per bushel, 5
Cucumbers, per bushel, 5
Cabbage, per bushel, 5
Pumpkins, per bushel, 5
Winter Potatoes, per bushel, 5
Wild Carrots, 125
Apples, per bushel, 1.00
New Cabbage, per head, 25
Winter Potatoes, per bushel, 1.00
Hickory Nuts, 2.00
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Squash, per bushel, 5
Violets, 5
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State Treasurer, J. J. D. Sullivan.
State Public Institution, J. J. D. Sullivan.

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The Daily Republican.

HAMMER & MOSSER,
PUBLISHERS.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.
Saturday, Evening April 24.

THE Chicago Times has advised from nearly every county in Illinois, from nineteen points in Wisconsin, sixteen in Iowa, ten in Indiana, three in Kansas, seven in Nebraska and six in Michigan concerning the wheat crop. From the summary it appears that the fall sowing was badly winter killed in many places, but the indications concerning the spring wheat districts are so favorable that there is every reason to think the production will be up to the average.

A GREAT hegin of the colored population of Tennessee is reported. They have been leaving Tennessee in considerable numbers for months past, and now large numbers of them are selling their property, drawing their money out of banks and emigrating westward. Meetings are nightly held in their churches and the subject agitated in all its bearings. The whites are said to deplore this action; for the negroes were peaceable and their labor very much needed.

THE design of the twenty-cent silver piece authorized by the act of Congress of March 3, 1875, has been selected and approved by the Hon. H. R. Linderman, Director of the Mint. The obverse design contains a sitting figure of Liberty, with the word "Liberty" inscribed on the shield, the whole surrounded by thirteen stars. Beneath the figure the date "1875." On the reverse the figure of an eagle surrounded by the inscription "United States of America," and beneath the eagle the words "Twenty Cents." The edge or periphery of the coin will be perfectly smooth in order to distinguish it from the twenty-five cent coin, which bears a rounded or fluted edge. The piece being small, the legend "E Pluribus Unum" and the motto "In God We Trust," have both been omitted for want of room. The new coin is mainly intended for circulation in the Pacific Coast States.

ACCUMULATION OF CURRENCY.

The effect of the present movement of currency to New York in inviting speculation is already apparent. The New York Daily Bulletin in its financial column of Friday, says:

"The banks are receiving currency from the interior, and are looking about with some anxiety as to how to employ it. If legitimate trade does not require their facilities, they will be pretty sure to be taken up by speculators; and we may here add that there is a growing opinion that the year will be a highly speculative one. Already speculation has become active in securities, as well as in some of the staple products of the country. The latter for the moment has subsided, but from all sides we hear that the pipes, so to speak, are being laid for speculation. In the long run it would be much better if this were not so, although, if speculation is not carried to an extreme, it may do something to enliven legitimate trade and give the timid confidence."

AN INTERESTING OPERATION.

The St. Louis Globe, of Wednesday last, relates the following, which will be of interest to a large number of the acquaintances of Gen. P. P. Blair, who has been very much prostrated for months past with paralysis.

"When other means had failed to restore vitality to the almost lifeless body of Gen. Blair, the process of transfusion was tried. The first operation seemed indicative of good results. Articulation improved and the power of personal recognition came back. The second application, ten days after the first, was even more hopeful in its prospect. The paralyzed arm was raised, the patient conversed briefly (in monosyllables) with his children, and, after the second transfusion, would only be attended by his favorite attendant. The third operation to day will, it is hoped and believed, be still more beneficial, as its results will be anxiously awaited by the sick man's thousands of friends."

REAL ESTATE MARKET.

While farm lands are sold very firm and occasional transactions are being made at full prices, there has been a marked falling off in sales since the commencement of plowing for spring crops. City lots for residence purposes are active, especially such as are suitable for the better class of cottages. There are several business houses under process of construction, mostly however by parties who purchased their lots previous to our last issue. An amount of improvements in progress and being contracted for, especially in residence property, is largely in excess of previous years.

Kennedy's Champion Flour, at Imboden & Co's.

THE CHICAGO TIMES AND ITS SILLY PARTNER.

(From the Allentown Telegraph.)

The jury in the libel case of Miss Early, of Rockford, against Wilbur E. Storey, of the Chicago Times, has found a verdict of damages to the amount of \$25,000. The verdict is a heavy one, but the libel was most infamous. This is the first time in the history of the Times that it has been in need of a libel suit.

Still, we question whether the virtuous public has any right to assume a pharisaical indignation at the outrageous assaults upon morality and decency which have long characterized the Times. That journal has always been conducted on the plan of tickling the public palate with the kind of papulism that proves most tasteful. The Times boldly entered upon a career of immorality and indecency. Did the virtuous public frown upon its course? Yes. In this way: "Your paper, Mr. Storey, is utterly immoral, not fit to be handled with a pair of tongs, or to enter a decent family—but here are \$13; send the Times to my address for one year, including the Sunday edition." And so the paper sold by tens of thousands daily. The general understanding is that when people subscribe for a paper they endorse its course, at least to a certain extent, and the Times thus grew reckless in its immoral career, because it believed it had its people at its back. Certainly the people sustained it, and it poured money into its coffers with unstinted hand, thus enabling it to still further debauch public sentiment. Where there is a demand for anything the supply is sure to follow; but demand must always have the precedence. There was a demand in human depravity for such a paper as the Times, and Mr. Storey was weak enough and wicked enough to pander to that demand. If the public had not craved such food it would not have been provided by the Times for its length of time. Men are encouraged in iniquity if it pays and they receive the support of the public.

So it seems that there are two parties to this matter of the Times' immorality. In law there is punishment provided for the necessary to a crime as well as for the principal therein. If A hires B to set fire to a building and the fact is discovered, A's chances of going to the penitentiary are as good as B's. In the case of the Times Mr. Storey commits the overt act of publishing an immoral paper and the public provides the money as the inducement of doing it. Is not the matter of guilt about equally divided? We don't defend Mr. Storey any more than we would a man who accepted a bribe to commit a murder. Guilt is something that cannot be lessened by dividing it with another, but in the present case and against the Times we are only arguing one criminal and allowing his partner in guilt, the public, which furnished the money to commit the crime, to go unpunished.

This view of the question will probably not be palatable to either Pharisees or Publicans, but who can assert that the facts do not justify our conclusion?

THE EARLY-STORY VERDICT.

The Chicago Tribune says of the verdict:

"The jury, under the instructions of the court, were unable to find extenuating circumstances, and it is said that the majority were in favor of awarding the full amount of \$50,000, but after a long deliberation, extending far into the night, there was a compromise on \$25,000, the final award. As the lady's character is above reproach, and no such libel after its exposure could have been damaging to her reputation for chastity and purity, the verdict must be regarded as an award of punitive damages, and the only way in which the offense could be properly punished."

The Inter-Ocean says

The jury in the Early-Storey case evidently came to the conclusion that the libel in question was at least published recklessly, if not maliciously; that proper care was not exercised in ascertaining whether the information placed in the hands of the editor was in fact true. This being the case, it is not strange that the verdict was for a large sum. The publication, being utterly false, of the most scandalous nature and aimed at an innocent young woman of high reputation, could not be regarded in any other light than as the grossest and most incalculable of libels. There is in the verdict a lesson to journalists which should be studied and heeded.

The Journal thinks "the Times is doing double duty in the only way likely to effect reform," while the Post and Mail holds that—

It is doubtless true that no more aggravated case of libel was ever prosecuted. The defamatory article was an absolute fabrication and worded in the most damning terms. The skill in that line, of the attacks of the Times, who worked it up from the letters forwarded from Rockford, could hardly have been acquired without long practice and great natural adaptation for that style of "correspondence." As a punishment for permitting, directly or indirectly, the good name and character of an excellent young lady to be made the careless sport of a sensational newspaper, the public will agree that Mr. Storey is punished justly and this without involving any legal or personal malice toward either himself or his paper.

Philadelphia brags about having the most elegant servant girls. They always hire out with the understanding that the mistress is to do the dirty work.

TELEGRAPHIC.

3 O'Clock, P. M.
(Reported Expressly for the Daily Republican.)

BEECHER-TILTON.

Cleveland Occupied Most of the Day, but Finally Weakened.

And Moulton, the "Mutual," Closed the Day's Scene.

Delano's Official Acts Prove to be Satisfactory.

Burning of Three Steamboats at New Orleans.

Several Persons Burned and Drowned—Large Loss of Property.

R. R. Track Washed Away and Town Flooded in Dakota.

New York, April 23.—In the Beecher-Tilton case, this morning, the cross-examination of Cleveland was continued. Witness was shown a paper, and said he gave this power of attorney to Sherman since Thursday, witness went from Boston to the White Mountains on the 4th of September; the committee made their report on August 28th; heard that the second statement was in preparation by Moulton, heard that this statement was an assault on Beecher, and also in reference to blackmail; Beecher said he would have nothing to do with any statement until Moulton and Tilton had withdrawn all charges against his moral character; I didn't expect to meet Tilton and Moulton in Boston; if Redpath's explanation was satisfactory, I was to take back an answer to Beecher; I went to Boston as a matter of courtesy to Redpath, Gov. Claflin and other gentlemen who telegraphed; I had nothing to do about the blackmail charged on Moulton; I don't know that anything special was to be done with regard to withdrawing the charge of blackmail; there was a conversation about it before I visited Redpath; I had no power to withdraw the charge; I signed no paper at Boston, nor do I remember showing papers to any one. I understand from Redpath that Gen. Butler and Moulton were to see him next day.

Prior read a Latin dispatch from Redpath, and afterwards translated it; it asked Beecher to come, in the name of the Father, immediately, and avert a terrible calamity, and that he had through three years of silence procured an opportunity which he held only for a day, and asking that he should not be frustrated by hesitation.

Morris read a dispatch from Beecher to Redpath, in English, conveying the information that Cleveland and Moulton would meet him at the depot, that he had been given a letter of authority on his behalf, and that Beecher could not leave until Monday, if at all. Witness continued: Beecher told me about these telegrams on the evening of September 28, and left for Boston next morning; on that night there may have been an allusion to my going to Boston; when the Christian Union was started I entered into partnership with Hurlbut & Co. printing paper manufacturers; I offered to supply Ford & Co. with material; they declined; I didn't tell Ford I could ruin the Christian Union, or that I knew the secrets of Beecher's relations with Mrs. Tilton; witness said he did not remember some parts of the committee's report and appealed to the court for consideration in his present state of health, he remembered hearing of the paper saying that Tilton's wife had said that Beecher had solicited her to become a wife to him, with all the name implied, a few days before the committee made its report; Moulton's partners received a dispatch from him saying that he would testify.

The court here took a recess. Mr. Morris stated that he would finish with the witness in half an hour. After recess, Cleveland continued: I had no knowledge of the West charges till 1874; when I read them in Tilton's statement, I understood they were charges against Tilton; in a specific way I heard them disposed of in discussion; I learned they were charges against Bowen and Tilton for slandering their pastor; I understood that the slander was against the moral character of Beecher in his relations with women; West was not called before the investigating committee; I do not know why, or why I didn't suggest his name as the original author of these charges.

Re direct examination—Beecher never authorized the publication of the tripartite agreement; he tried to prevent it; I didn't suggest the names of the members of the investigating committee to Sherman or Tracy; these names would have occurred to every member of Plymouth Church who would be called on to suggest names for such a purpose; Beecher submitted to these gentlemen, called in the name of Geo. M. Curtis, Wm. H. Davis and William Cullen Bryant, to act as a committee; Bryant was not then connected with Beecher, and had no relation to him, when Tilton was before the committee, I received legal advice that if the investigating committee went on with their labors without having the sanction of the examining committee of the church, they would be liable to be sued for libel; I had no knowledge of the charges against Beecher. My state of mind is such now, by reason of ill health, that my memory is defective.

Witness here left the stand. Moulton was here put on the stand for a further cross examination. He testified: I know Samuel W. Partridge since 1864, but don't remember a conversation about Tilton's reasons for writing the life of Victoria Woodhull; I didn't tell him that Tilton wrote the life to put himself at the head of the Spiritualists of the country; I did say the Spiritualists of the country outnumber the Congregationalists, don't know what suggested this remark; I never had a conversation with Partridge about Tilton's reasons for writing the life of Woodhull; I never told Partridge that Tilton told me so.

Witness was asked what Partridge said to him about Tilton's reasons for publishing Woodhull's life. Beach objected and the answer was not allowed. Moulton then stated that the conversation took place in the office of Woodruff & Robinson in the fall, where Partridge was receiving and paying fares and making entries on the books.

Adjourned.

NEW ORLEANS, April 23.—The steamboats John Kyle, Exporter, and Chas. Bodman, took fire at 4 o'clock this afternoon at the foot of Poydras street, and burned to the water's edge. Many lives are said to be lost.

About 4 o'clock this afternoon a fire broke out in the steamer John Kyle, which was lying at the foot of Poydras street, near the Lissie Saylor and Exporter. Captain Hutchinson promptly notified all on board to leave, as it was supposed the boat could not be saved; the Captain thinks all on board were saved. Mr. Brown, chief clerk, was seriously burned in his endeavors to secure the money and papers from the safe. In the meantime the boat had been sent adrift; the eddy drifted her up against the Exporter and Bodman, which immediately took fire. They all drifted into the stream, where they soon burned.

Many persons were on the Exporter and Bodman as spectators when the boats drifted into the stream, and had to jump overboard, a large number of which are believed to have been drowned. The number lost is estimated at from 20 to 100. The commander of the United States steamer Kansas promptly sent his boats to the rescue. The jobbing tug boats made no effort for the rescue of those on the burning boats. There were a lot of excursionists from Cincinnati or Pittsburgh, many of whom are believed to be lost. The steamer Bodman was about unloaded. The Exporter had about 400 tons of freight on board, all of which was lost. Among the lost is a daughter of Captain Reese, of the Exporter. Captain Shinkle, of the Bodman, is seriously burned.

A son of Captain Shinkle is reported as lost. The Exporter was valued at \$45,000; John Kyle valued at \$80,000; Chas. Bodman, owned by Captain O. P. Shinkle and others, of Cincinnati, valued at \$75,000. Total loss on vessels \$180,000; supposed insured.

On board the Exporter was Captain Reese, the owner from Pittsburgh, who, with his family and a number of friends from the city were on a pleasure excursion. The ladies of the party were all ashore except Mrs. Reese and one other lady. Mrs. Reese and the other lady were saved, but the daughter was drowned. It is impossible to night to give the names or ascertain who is lost. The hulks of the Exporter and Bodman were towed across the river to Coyle's coal yard, while the Kyle floated down a couple of miles and sank.

WASHINGTON, April 23.—All the Bureau officers of the Interior Department, headed by Assistant Secretary Cowan, called on the President previous to the meeting of the Cabinet. Each Bureau officer substantially asserted that, in no instance had Delano interfered with them in public business, nor overruled any decisions made by them without full consultation. The President declared that these explanations were unnecessary, as he had the utmost confidence in Secretary Delano.

YANKTON, D. T., April 23.—The track of the Dakota Southern railway is washed away between this place and Sioux City, and all communication cut off. It will probably be several days before communication is resumed, as the river is still slowly rising here. It is now higher than it has been for years. The town of Vermillion is partly submerged. An ex-member of the Legislature, named Jos. Mason, was drowned there this morning, by being capsized while rowing in a boat.

It comes from New York that capitalists there now regard investments in real estate with more favor than any others. Their experience with bonds and corporate investments has been unfortunate, and they turn to land for a return that will be sure, it sometimes seems! The same disposition prevails in the West, and has a sensible foundation in the fact that money placed in land cannot be stolen or mobbed by Directors and Trustees, as frequently happens to investments in railroad or other corporations. Land is the basis of all security.—Land Owner.

A Large Lot of White Goods, consisting of muslin suits, jackets, Victoria lawn suits, and Paris Lawns, just received at S. E. EINSTEIN.

TRY CHRISTIAN, a large, live family paper, full of stories and good reading. No subscription, politics paid for. Send 10 cents for three specimens before buying. Only \$1.00 per annum. Agents wanted everywhere. No commissions paid. H. L. HARTING, 52 Washington street, Boston, Mass. See A. B. street, Philadelphia.

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At which time will be offered

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South-Down Sheep,

A Large Lot of

BERKSHIRE SWINE,

NINE HEAD OF

HORSES,

(MARES AND COLTS),

Including 2 Fine Draft

AND

1 Fine Blooded Mare;

ALSO,

One SINGLE BUGGY.

Sale to Commence at

10 A. M.

This will embrace some of the very best stock ever sold on the American continent. Passenger Trains on the T. & W. R. R. will stop at the Fair Grounds on the day of sale. The last train (No. 6) leaving Springfield at 4:30 A. M. will also stop at all stations en route, and will be waiting for passengers at the sale.

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The Eminent Young Actor,
FRANK E. AIKEN,

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Superb Company,
In the Great Play by Bartley Campbell,
called
"VIRGINIAN."

Sale of seats commences Monday, April 23, at W. R. Abbott's jewelry store. No advance in price. (Apr 23-06)

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ALL TRAINS RUN VIA WASHINGTON CITY.

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E. R. DORSEY, L. M. COLE,
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THOS. P. BARRY, THOS. R. SHARP,
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April 21, 1875-dawit

Cow Pasturing!

THE undersigned has 120 acres of A No. 1 Pasture, with plenty of shade and vegetation, running through it, known as the Williams pasture, southeast of the city. Terms reasonable.

D. J. BLOCK,
April 21, 1875-dawit

TO PAINTERS!

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED until Tuesday, 27th inst., at three o'clock, P. M., for the Painting of the Section House, Greenwood Cemetery, with two extra inside doors, the best lead and oil to be used. Work to be done immediately. The Board of Directors reserve the right to reject any and all bids. Proposals to be left with J. B. Gorin, Secretary, at the Banking House of J. B. Gorin, Secretary, Decatur, Ill., April 23, 1875. (dtd)

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(Beautiful patterns and very cheap.)

See the Inducements we are offering

—IN—

TABLE LINENS, TOWELS, NAPKINS, CRASHES

&c., &c., &c.

We bought largely, in January, of Bleached and Brown Sheetings and Shirtings, Tickings, Denims, Ducks, Checks, Cheviots, &c. The goods are in, and we will

GIVE YOU THE BENEFIT OF JANUARY PRICES ON THEM

We have another Case of the same BLACK ALPACAS and MOHAIRS—the BEST GOODS THAT WERE EVER IN THE CITY FOR THE PRICE. Do not fail to see them.

We will take pleasure in showing you.

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March 16, 1875-dawit.

NEW SPRING GOODS

S. EINSTEIN

Has returned with new

SPRING AND SUMMER GOODS,

Of the very latest styles. He has taken especial pains in selecting his stock of Spring Goods, consisting of

DRESS GOODS,
BLACK ALPACAS,
PLAIN AND COLORED SILKS,
(All shades.)

—New shade of—

LUSTERS!

Also, a full line of

TRIMMING SILKS.

Our stock of WHITE GOODS, MARSEILLES, PERCALES, cannot be surpassed in any market. We also have a full line of Notions; latest styles of Ladies' and Gents' TIES, RUCHES, RIBBONS, in plaid, plain and embroidered.

A complete line of HOSIERY for Ladies and Gents.

A full line of CORSETS, from 50c up.

He invites all to call and examine his Stock. He will offer extra inducements for the next thirty days, in all Departments. By calling, you will see he is determined not to be undersold.

DON'T FORGET THE PLACE:
No. 21 NORTH WATER STREET.
March 20, 1875-dawit.

KEYSTONE CARRIAGE WORKS!

WAYNE BROTHERS,
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FANCY PAINTING A SPECIALTY.
November 17, 1874. d&w-3m.

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A. A. COOPER

—IS OFFERING—

New Spring Goods!

VERY CHEAP.

His stock of Bleached and Brown Sheetings and Shirtings, Prints, Table Linens, (Turkey, Damask and Napkins to match), Crashes, Tickings, Denims, Ducks, Drills, Shirting, Checks and Cheviots, Gingham, and Dress Goods of all kinds.

LOOK AT OUR SIXTY CENT FRENCH CORSET!

A FULL LINE OF

ALL KINDS OF NOTIONS.

The motto of this House is,—"THE LOWEST PRICES IN THE MARKET FOR THE QUALITY." Call and see if this is not true.

No. 24 MERCHANT STREET.
March 11, 1875-d m w t

The Daily Republican.

DECATUR, ILLINOIS.
Saturday Evening, April 24.

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Local Notices will be inserted at Ten Cents per line for the first insertion, and five cents per line for each subsequent insertion. Rates for time advertisements will be furnished upon application at the office.

TO DAILY SUBSCRIBERS.

Subscriptions to the DAILY REPUBLICAN will be collected every Saturday, at the place where the paper is delivered, on least otherwise ordered.

We would be much obliged if our subscribers would inform the carrier at what particular place they desire their paper to be left.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

Regular winter weather.

Where is the street sprinkler?

Cabbage and Green Peas, new and fresh, at Imboden & Co's.

Travel on the railroads is on the increase.

Weddings are plenty, with lots more to come.

Bainum, the great showman, is not coming until June. So say the bills and posters.

The weather caught cold again last night, and puffed and blowed and wheezed like a heavy horse.

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The new ordinance in regard to huckstering will play out the candy and peanut stands, of which we have so many.

The frogs sang merrily in the early part of last night, but when the wind came up fresh from the north they adjourned to a more convenient season.

The almost constant prevalence of high winds interferes seriously with most building operations among the birds.

For the best sugar cured hams, go to Neldorff's.

Fresh lettuce, green peas, and other garden truck are getting to be tolerably plenty in the market.

McCarthy serves full meals, or lunch at all hours.

Butter is scarce and miserably poor. You can look at a pound for a quarter, and point your finger at it for thirty-five cents.

Order the St. Nicholas 'bus when you want to go to the depot.

After to-day there can be no auction sales on the streets. Auctioneers will be obliged to procure a lot in which to make their sales of stock and other things that have to be sold out of doors.

The old "Rough and Ready" base ball club has been reorganized, and will soon contest with the "Runaways" for the championship of this city.

All the choice brands of teas, at Newell & Hammer's.

A Milton Lapham and Isaac S. Kaufman, two well known, energetic young men of this city, have opened a real estate and insurance office over the post office.

A few days ago Mr. Joshua Green, of Whitmore township, fell from a load of fodder, on which he was riding, bruising his face somewhat, and other wise injuring him.

A fine lot of fancy groceries and confections, at Lewis & Milligan's.

Farmers seem to have some difficulty in obtaining hands to work their land. With the number of fellows that are idle in town the demand for laborers should be fully met.

Try those choice pickled white fish, at D. M. Barnett & Co's.

The ladies of the First M. E. church are making preparations for a Fair and Festival, to be held some time during the month of May, more extended notice of which will be given when arrangements are completed.

If you want Shade Trees and Evergreens, fresh dug, order of H. W. DAVIS, Decatur, Ill.

Next spring the enterprising firm of Hawthorth & Sons, manufacturers of the clock rowing machine, intend to enlarge their factory considerably.

The building will be made three stories high, and will extend from Cerro Gordo street to the T. W. & W. Railway, fronting on Broadway.

The front window in Wessels' building, on North Water street, now occupied by Elliott & Anderson as a clothing store, is a solid pane of French glass, five by eleven feet, and cost about \$125.

It is decidedly the handsomest store window in the city.

At the called meeting of the Hook and Ladder Company, held at their headquarters last night, a resolution was passed to give a ball on the evening of the next parade day—May 20th.

A committee was appointed to make all the necessary arrangements for the ball, and report at the next meeting.

People who propose to visit St. Louis with the excursion on the 30th inst., should bear in mind that the train is to pass Decatur at 11 o'clock, sharp, on the morning train. No stops are made except for water, between here and St. Louis. Everybody is invited, and we doubt not that many of our citizens will improve this opportunity to spend twenty-four hours in the "future great city."

The fare for the round trip is only \$2.50.

Pike, the Jeweler, is agent for the sale of the best brands of American watches.

RECEPTION SURPRISE.

A pleasant surprise was given last night at the residence of T. B. Albert, Esq., to Mrs. Rosa Oberdorfer, his daughter, now of Milwaukee, Wis., who is here on a visit to her relatives and friends. The parties who had the management of the affair in charge, made all the arrangements with the utmost secrecy, and so skillfully did they make all the preparations, which were made at the house, that up to the time the guests arrived Mrs. O. had no idea of what had been planned. By previous arrangement, about thirty couples met at the Corcoran hall, from which, at about nine o'clock, they proceeded in a body to Mr. Albert's residence, on the corner of South Main and Washington streets. To all of the family (with the exception of Mrs. Albert) their coming was a complete surprise.

Mrs. A. did all she could to entertain the guests, and made them all at home. All enjoyed a social chat in the parlor for about an hour, during which time Mrs. Albert, assisted by Mrs. A. Good and several others, emptied the baskets which the guests had brought, and spread the tables in an adjoining room for supper. All present were then invited to partake of the sumptuous repast. Three large tables loaded with all the delicacies of the season looked very inviting to the guests, who at once seated themselves and ate of the food with a relish. After supper was over the guests remained a couple of hours, enjoying themselves by playing all sorts of games and chatting socially. At about midnight the party broke up and the couples left, saying among themselves that the affair was a highly enjoyable one.

Religious Notice.—Services to-morrow morning and evening, at the Universalist Church. The subject in the evening will be, "The Weariness of Life." All are invited.

Religious Services.—Preaching at the First M. E. Church to-morrow at 10:45 A. M. and 7 P. M., by the pastor, Rev. Horace Reed. Subject in the evening, "Woman's Value." All the seats free, and cordial welcome to strangers.

Called Away.—The pastor of Stapp's Chapel being called away by the death of his nephew, Mrs. M. C. Waughpou, will occupy the pulpit with select readings, morning and evening. Seats free, and all are invited.

Texas Land Warrants for sale in quantities to suit, at the low price of 35 cents per acre, some of the best agricultural, grazing and mining lands in the United States. Call at our office and get maps, documents and explanations before buying. H. B. Durfee will leave for Texas early in May, and give his personal attention to locating these lands if desired.

WARREN & DUFFEE, Agents for the sale of Texas lands and warrants.

Almost an Alarm of Fire.—On yesterday evening, about 6 o'clock, the chimney in the residence of Mr. Ehrhart, on South Main street, took fire and sent up a lurid blue smoke several feet above its top. Mr. and Mrs. E. were both away from home, and nobody was in the house but two little girls. The neighbors were pretty thoroughly alarmed for a short time, but the flames soon spent their force, without doing any harm.

If you want a genuine Alexander Kid Glove, call at S. ENSTEIN'S. 19-dw

Frank E. Aiken.—The popular young actor, Mr. Frank E. Aiken, will appear at the opera house, on Thursday evening, April 20th, in an entirely new play from the pen of the well known dramatist, Bartley Campbell, entitled "The Virginian," which has just completed a successful run of twenty eight consecutive performances at Hooley's theatre, Chicago, where it evoked the heartiest plaudits of both press and public. It is a charming story, fresh as the air of the Alleghenies, in the midst of which the scene is laid, and pure and wholesome as rippling water. With all this, it is tenderly touching and true to nature.

New Firm, New Store, and New Goods.—Messrs Elliott & Anderson are now in their new store, next door north of J. H. Lewis & Co's queensware house, and have to day opened one of the most complete and select stocks of clothing, hats and caps, and gents' furnishings goods ever seen in Decatur. They will be pleased to see their many friends, and serve them with goods in their line at lowest prices.

Strictly Pure.—It is a fact that while Dr. Price's Cream Baking Powder and Two Flavoring Extracts, Lemon, Vanilla, etc., have been made for many years without reducing their standard of perfect purity, not another Baking Powder or Flavoring Extract in the market is free from adulteration. There are no coloring poisonous oils or acids in Dr. Price's Flavors, nor chalk, alum, or other injurious substances in his Cream Baking Powder. We know the manufacturers take pride in having their articles strictly pure.

L. A. Drake has just been putting in a new stock of Furniture at his old matinee stand, in First House Block. Parties can now be set up in house-furnish goods, (all new), and at very low figures. Call in and be convinced.—Spring beds and mattresses sold at a special price. 14-dw

MARRIED.—In this city, April 23d, by Justice Goodman, Mr. JOHN STRAUBACH and Miss MARY F. GROTT, both of Decatur.

ATTEMPTED BURGLARY.

A Would-Be Thief Foiled and Captured by the Detectives.

Last night at about 12 o'clock, a large-sized man broke into James Milligan's saloon, near the depot, and was on the point of going through the money-drawer, when his attention was attracted by a police officer, who held out a revolver and arrested him.

"YOU ARE MY PRISONER."

The burglar was struck speechless. He stood for a moment as motionless as a statue, and then he gazed along the polished barrel of the officer's weapon, and then he gazed on the "cop's" face, which he saw was determined, and finally decided to come out of the building and acknowledge himself as a prisoner. When he came out he was rather surprised to find that he had more than one man to combat with. When he struck the sidewalk he was surrounded by a quartette of policemen, who closed in on him, and proceeded to march him in the direction of the depot calaboose.

The criminal is a very muscular man, and he heaved and tugged away in a vain endeavor to regain his liberty. He raged and swore—all to no purpose. The officers maintained their hold on him, and

FOILED HIS WILD RAGE BY STEADY SKILL. Slowly but surely they conducted him to the depot calaboose, where they lodged him safely for the night.

His preliminary examination will probably take place before one of our justices this afternoon.

THE UNIVERSAL BATH.

Something Useful and Necessary.

The necessity of frequent bathing of the whole body has of late years been sufficiently demonstrated, both as a sanitary measure and as aid to cleanliness of person. The difficulty has heretofore been in providing the requisite means for convenient bathing. This difficulty has been at last overcome by the invention of "The Universal Bath," which is at once convenient, comfortable and durable. It consists of a wooden frame or hoop, the size of a full grown man, to which is attached a rubber cloth pouch, or tub, the whole weighing but a few pounds. Being portable it can be used in the sick room, or wherever may be most convenient. All that is necessary is to place each end of the frame upon the seat of a common chair, and the tub is ready for use. By means of a cord attached to the frame the rubber sack can be so arranged as to change it into a foot or hip bath, by merely elevating one end of the frame. Owing to its peculiar construction it requires but three or four pailful of water to cover the whole body, and the softness and smoothness of the rubber cloth renders it exceedingly pleasant to the person using it. A trial will convince any one, as it has convinced us, of the practicability of this bath.

Mr. T. M. Olmsted is the agent for the sale of this useful and almost indispensable contrivance in Decatur, and will make a thorough canvass of the city. The price is \$25—a figure ridiculously small when compared with the amount of comfort it will purchase.

L. J. Davis & Co. have a very choice lot of correspondence stationery in nobly styles.

Every Seven Years, physiologists say, the human body is entirely changed and renewed. Every moment of our lives, every part of our bodies is wearing out and being built up anew of fresh matter. This work is accomplished by the blood which goes through every part. But if the blood becomes weak or vitiated, and does not perform its work properly, the system is actually poisoned by the worn out matter clogging the vital organs instead of leaving the body. For dyspepsia, biliousness, kidney, skin and liver troubles, fevers, and all diseases arising from vitiated blood, DR. WALKER'S CALIFORNIA VINEGAR BITTERS are a sovereign remedy. [23-dw1m]

It is now getting to be well understood that J. P. Marsh makes a perfectly fitting shoe; and also, that he has a very complete and choice stock of ready-made boots and shoes, of all sizes and sorts. Call and see him.

For Sale.—The undersigned offers for sale the following valuable business property: A brick block, consisting of two good stores, with tenement rooms overhead; also, two frame buildings, well suited to business. The above property is situated on the corner of North Water and Cerro Gordo streets, near the crossing of the T. W. & W. R. R., and is one of the best business points in the city. J. G. SHEA, At the grocery store of Shea & Fletcher, opera block. [15-dw]

We offer Great Bargains in linen suits and suitings, which we open to-day. 19-w

Reduction of Passenger Fare.—On and after May 1st, the T. W. & W. Railway Co. will reduce their local passenger rates to 34 cents per mile, and will sell round trip tickets at the usual reduction of 10 per cent. They now have on sale at Decatur time tickets to the principal eastern points, at reduced rates.

Cotton-Top Hawk Mattresses, at Stoy & Bishop's, in old Revere house block.

All Ready.—Immense stock of boots and shoes, just received by Powers, Ferriss & Co., for spring trade—all good goods. All ready now to show the latest styles—stock all in—biggest variety we ever had. [14-dw]

All Sorts of Fruit Trees at the Davis' Nurseries. [mar22 dt mo&a]

PRELIMINARY EXAMINATION OF THE RABBIT.

Yesterday afternoon at 5 o'clock, as had been previously arranged, Jerry Shaughnessy and Michael Lyons were taken before Justice Hughes for a preliminary examination on the charge of rape. The prisoners conversed a short time together, and then concluded to employ Thos. Lee, Esq., for their attorney. The case for The People was conducted by Edwin Park, Esq.

THE FIRST WITNESS.

was Mrs. Mary Ryan, who testified that the defendants came to her house late Wednesday night and allured her to the stable. As to what took place subsequently she seemed to be very backward to relate, and finally stated that she was very drunk at the time and knew little of what had happened.

Mr. John Tucker and Policeman Misenheimer both gave in circumstantial evidence that was very strong against the defendants.

The testimony of Dr. Mills, however, was positive, and it was upon this that the defendants were convicted.

Each of the defendants swore that they wanted a bottle of whisky which Mrs. Ryan had, and would not give it to them.

This concluded the evidence in the case, and Mr. Lee arose and spoke for a considerable time about how it was so astounding to him that any man or men should be arrested, jailed and brought up for trial because they had attempted to take a whisky bottle away from an old drunken woman.

The Justice, however, thought that this story was rather "too thin," and after the conclusion of a speech for the prosecution by Mr. Park, he said that from the testimony in the case it was clear that the defendants were guilty of the charge. He fixed the bail for their appearance at the next circuit court at \$700 each, in default of which they were sent to jail.

Shaughnessy admitted that he is sail in under an alias, and no one in this city shall know what his real name is.

GRAND ENTERTAINMENT!

For the Benefit of the Woman's Temperance League.

The Ladies of the Woman's Temperance League will give an entertainment, to consist of Select Readings, Recitations and Vocal Music, at the Opera House, FRIDAY EVENING, April 30.

PROGRAMME—PART I.

VOCAL MUSIC.

Prayer and Potatoes, (Pettie).

Miss Alice Shellabarger.

Launching of the Ship, (Longfellow).

Miss Ruth Crissey.

Aunt Tabitha, (Gough).

Miss Alice Shellabarger.

VOCAL MUSIC.

Much Ado About Nothing, (Shakespeare).

Miss Alice Shellabarger.

Tam O'Shanter, (Burns).

Dr. Walston.

Cousin Sally Dillard, (Johns).

Miss Alice Shellabarger.

PART II.

VOCAL MUSIC.

Parody on Maud Miller.

Mr. D. Barnackman.

Lady Clare, (Tennyson).

Miss Alice Shellabarger.

Zara's Ear Rings, (From the Spanish).

Miss Ruth Crissey.

Vagabonds, (Gough).

Miss Alice Shellabarger.

VOCAL MUSIC.

Death of Little Jim, Miss Shellabarger.

Courting in the Country.

VOCAL MUSIC.

Admission 25 cts. Doors open at 7.30.

Schirb's new photograph rooms on

Merchant street are thronged daily by those who desire perfect likenesses of themselves or friends. His motto is, "Good pictures at reasonable prices."

The Large and commodious sales-room of Able & Locke, carpet dealers, afford an exceedingly fine display of choice goods in their line. Besides the almost endless variety of carpets, there are window shades of all styles, tapestry and lace curtains of the richest material, wall paper of every conceivable design, with a full stock of all goods in their line. It is a treat to look through their establishment.

Opening of Choice Millinery, at Miss M. Falconer's, Thursday and Friday, April 29th and 30th, No. 8 Merchant street, up stairs. [21-wit dt]

Males for Sale.—Any persons wishing to buy nice three and four years old mules, will consult their interest by calling at the Livery Stable of Caldwell Brothers, on West Main street, Decatur. Jan. 30, '75-dw1f.

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April 17-dw LINN & SCRUGGS

Pike, the Jeweler, keeps the best Spectacles in the city, and sells them at a reasonable price. [sept 1-dim]

Those Gentle Shoes on sale at V Barber & Co's are having an immense run with the ladies. They have also all the latest styles of goods for men's wear direct from the best factories in the country. Persons examining their stock cannot fail to find what they want. Prices are always at hard-pan figures. [april5-w6w]

Black Alpaca, Mohair, Brilliantine, Henrietta Cloth, Australian Crepe Silks, and all grades of Black Goods are to be found and offered very cheap, at COOPER'S.

GRAND EXCURSION.

The First M. E. Church will give an excursion to St. Louis and return on Thursday, May 13th. This will afford an excellent opportunity for those wishing to visit "The Future Great City," with its many attractions, as all are invited to go with us.

The train, consisting of fifteen coaches, will leave the depot at 6.50, and Water street crossing at 7 A. M., sharp, stopping at Boody, Blue Mount and Stonington for the reception of passengers, arriving at St. Louis at 10.30. Returning leave St. Louis at 8 P. M., arrive at Decatur at 12 P. M.

Fare for the round trip, \$2.50.

For further particulars enquire of 16 dawit A. E. KINNEY.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Among the guests registered at the St. Nicholas Hotel yesterday are the following: J. R. Suhart, St. Louis; C. R. Sargent, Quincy; James A. Barney, city; C. R. Allenburg, Louisville; Geo. Burns, Macon; R. B. Johnson, Aurora; S. S. Prigel, Warrensburg, James Anderson, Cincinnati; J. B. Morrison, Quincy, W. Spangler, Lincoln; John O. Lacy, do; W. E. Wood, St. Louis; E. B. Frazee, Chicago; J. A. Bryant, St. Louis; A. Blenz, city; Thos. J. Lamb, Chicago; W. S. Williams, do; S. D. Wheeler, Macon; Thomas T. Glaube, Chicago; M. R. Raleigh, Baltimore.

For Choice New York Potatoes, go to D. H. Heilmann's in Ulrich's block 10-dw

Garden Seeds.—Just received, a large stock of Landreth's warranted Garden Seeds; also, a general assortment of Flower Seeds and Gardening tools. Geo. S. DUFFY & Bro., m32-d3m 16 East Main street.

A Card.—We wish to say to the public that we keep constantly on hand a full supply and great variety of Trusses, Bandages, Supporters, &c., &c. We have the Jones Radical-Cure Truss, Common Sense Truss, Regular Army Ivory Pad Truss, &c., &c. CHENOWETH, WALSTON & Co. Mar 8-dw

For Rent.—A good office—being the front room over Armstrong's drug store. Apply to WOOD & MONTGOMERY. Apr 19-dw

Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is very strongly recommended by the Medical Faculty and is largely prescribed among their female patients. It is worthy of all confidence, as may be seen from the following testimonials.

Dr. G. B. CHAPMAN, Plattsburgh, Neb., writes I have under treatment a lady, who, for the past seven years has been afflicted, and, after trying several physicians without receiving benefit, is gaining rapidly on your Favorite Prescription.

ATLANTA, ILL. Dr. R. V. PIERCE, Buffalo, N. Y. Dear Sir—I have not words to express my gratitude to you for your advice and assistance in my case. There is not one who has used your medicines since they have been brought here, but that can say with me they have been greatly benefited. Since I have been so helped by its use, six or seven around me left off all doctors and other medicines, and now use it in their families, after being cured of the same disease as mine. You do not know what a wonder it created in our city, by its restoring my sister I wrote you about, for she had been under the care of three of our best doctors, but could not sit up but for a few minutes at one time. I begged of her to try your medicines, and before she had used half the bottles she could go all around the yard, and has now just come home from a visit five miles away.

Mrs. THOS. McFARLAND. Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is sold by all dealers in medicines generally. 20-decadw1w

RETAIL MARKET.

Tomatoes, per dozen, \$1.00
Spinach, per bunch, 50
New Potatoes, per bushel, 1.00
Spinach, per bunch, 50
Beets, per bunch, 50
Turnips, per bushel, 1.00
Rutabagas, per bushel, 1.00
Onions, per bushel, 1.00
Cauliflower, per head, 1.00
Lettuce, per head, 1.00
Beans, per bushel, 1.00
Peas, per bushel, 1.00
Broad Beans, per bushel, 1.00
Wild Ducks, per pair, 1.00
Apples, per bushel, 1.00
Oranges, per bushel, 1.00
New Cabbage, per head, 1.00
Butter, per pound, 1.00
Hickory Nuts, per bushel, 1.00
Walnuts, per bushel, 1.00
Vinegar, per gallon, 1.00
Bacon, per pound, 1.00
Butter, packed, per pound, 1.00
Bacon, per pound, 1.00

DECATUR MARKET REPORT

DECATUR, April 24, 1875.
WHEAT—Red, per bushel, 1.00
White, per bushel, 1.00
FLOUR—white wheat, 1.00
"superfine, 1.00
"middling, 1.00
CORN MEAL—per bushel, 1.00
RYE—per bushel, 1.00
CORN—per bushel, 1.00
BUCKWHEAT—per bushel, 1.00
HAY—Timothy, 1.00
OATS—per bushel, 1.00
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BLUE GRASS, 1.00
ORCHARD GRASS, 1.00
RED TOP, 1.00
HUNGARIAN, 1.00
SILVER CHIEF, 1.00
BUTTER—per lb., 1.00
EGGS—per doz., 1.00
LARD—per lb., 1.00
BACON—sides, 1.00
HAMS—cured, 1.00
CIGARS—per 100, 1.00
HOGS—live, per hundred, 1.00
SHEEP—per hhd., 1.00
POTATOES—per bu., 1.00
PEACHES—United, per bu., 1.00
APPLES—Green & B., 1.00
SILVER CHIEF, 1.00
Wool—Unwashed, light & medium, 1.00
"combing, 1.00
"Fleecwash'd, choice, 1.00
"do, 1.00
"Tubwashed, choice, 1.00
HIDES—Green, 1.00
"Salted cured, 1.00
"Dry, 1.00
"Dry Flint, 1.00
SHEEP FEET—per hhd., 1.00
"Out, scrubby, scarred or otherwise damaged, two-thirds price, 1.00
FEATHERS—Prize, 1.00
"Common, 1.00
TALLOW—Coke, 1.00
"Barrel, 1.00

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For ST. PAUL AND MINNEAPOLIS, Two trains daily, via Madison, Baraboo and Elroy, and via Janesville, Watertown, Fond du Lac, Port Howard, Oshkosh, Neenah, Kaukauna, Lodi, Appleton, Waubesa, and all points north.

For GREEN BAY AND LAKE SUPERIOR, Two trains daily, via Madison, Baraboo and Elroy, and via Janesville, Watertown, Fond du Lac, Port Howard, Oshkosh, Neenah, Kaukauna, Lodi, Appleton, Waubesa, and all points north.

For MILWAUKEE, One train daily, via Janesville, Watertown, Fond du Lac, Port Howard, Oshkosh, Neenah, Kaukauna, Lodi, Appleton, Waubesa, and all points north.

For WINONA AND POINTS IN MINNESOTA, One train daily, via Janesville, Watertown, Fond du Lac, Port Howard, Oshkosh, Neenah, Kaukauna, Lodi, Appleton, Waubesa, and all points north.

For LAKE GENA, Four trains daily, via Janesville, Watertown, Fond du Lac, Port Howard, Oshkosh, Neenah, Kaukauna, Lodi, Appleton, Waubesa, and all points north.

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